

## PINTAIL TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

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Dear Ms. Hesse:

The case against Microsoft has gone on too long, cost taxpayers too much money and inflicted too much harm on the economy. It is time for this entire case to come to an end by accepting the recently negotiated settlement.

As a consumer of high tech products, I am concerned that the long drawn-out pursuit of Microsoft has had a rippling effect on the entire industry. After months of dead-end litigation, the monopoly lawsuit against Microsoft was dropped. Now, it seems, some disgruntled competitors want the government to regulate the entire high rech industry just to spite Microsoft.

The result of this competitor-envy will be far-reaching and potentially devastating to the entire industry - even the disgruntled competitor.

The last thing this country needs is government run high-tech. I am writing to ask that the Department of Justice and the courts let the market continue to produce low-cost, high quality innovative products. No one is forced to buy a certain brand. There are plenty of choices. Let the consumer be the best judge of high-tech products – not the government!

Sincerely

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